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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Ken FUKUTA et al.

Serial No.: 10/084,658

Group Art Unit: 1731

Filed: February 28, 2002

Examiner: Christopher A. Fiorilla

For: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING CERAMIC BODY

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

MAIL BOX AF Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated December 16, 2003 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1 to 6.

The \$330.00 Appeal fee is:

- x enclosed (our check # 17739)
- ____ not required (fee paid in prior appeal in this application with no Board decision on the merits).
- X a three-month extension of time was filed on June 14, 2004 with \$950 check # 17731.

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Respectfully submitted,

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